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John Hoffman Has Rest of His Estate Expended on Monument.

South Norwalk, Conn., April 23.—A strange will has been offered for probate here by a lawyer for the late John Hoffman, a well to do but eccentric farmer, who predicted a year ago the exact hour of his death. To his only son he leaves \$10, while he asks that the remainder of his estate, amounting in the legal phrase to "more than \$5,000" be expended in a monument on his grave.

"ADONIS" IS MISSING.

Chicago Officer Who Posed for Haymarket Statue May Be Dying.

Chicago, April 23.—"Tom" Birmingham, who 20 years ago was considered the "Adonis" of the Chicago police force, and posed as the model for the famous Haymarket riot statue erected in honor of the policemen who were victims of the anarchist bomb on May 4, 1886, has disappeared, and his friends fear he is dying in some out of the way place.

He has not been on the police force

for some time and a few days ago he collapsed while talking to Alderman Michael Kenna. He was given food and recovered sufficiently to walk. Since then he has not been seen by his friends.

WISCONSIN TO RETIRE.

After an Active Service of Less Than Ten Years.

New York, April 23.—The battleship Wisconsin, whose sailors have made themselves famous as the publishers of the Badger, is anchored in the Hudson today for what will in all probability be her last visit to New York. Not quite ten years ago the Wisconsin was launched in San Francisco. When she leaves New York next week she will go into retirement from active service in the navy yard at Portsmouth, N. H. Most of her men will be transferred to serve out the rest of their time on the battleship Delaware, one of the Dreadnaughts.

The principal event of the Wisconsin's stay in New York will be a farewell reception on Tuesday night to "Murphy," the Wisconsin's kangaroo, and perhaps the most famous mascot in the American navy. Murphy will go with the long term men to the Delaware.

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BIG I. O. O. F. RALLY

Ninety-First Anniversary to Be Celebrated Monday.

General Meeting at Auditorium in Evening.

OUTSIDERS COMING.

Nearly 2,000 Visitors Expected for the Event.

Excellent Musical Program and Address by J. L. Saunders.

Hall the Odd Fellow. The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Topeka, with representative lodges of the order in Kansas at the Auditorium Monday night, will celebrate the ninety-first anniversary of the founding of the organization in America. The event occurred at Baltimore, Md., April 26, 1819. Past Grand Master John L. Saunders, of Cheney, will be the speaker of the evening. Other good numbers will also be given on the program. The Masons, Knights of Pythias and other lodges have been invited to attend the exercises. The meeting is also open to the public in general.

Outside of Topeka invitations have been extended to 180 I. O. O. F. lodges, including those at Atchison, Horton, McPherson, Burlington, Olathe, Eudora, Lawrence, Leavenworth, Herington, Wichita, Hutchinson, Yates Center, Belleville and other towns. It is expected that these will send altogether from 1,800 to 2,000 delegates.

With this attendance which will come through the combined efforts of all of the Topeka lodges, it is expected that this celebration will be the largest of its kind ever held here. The occasion is commemorated here every year, but not on so large a scale. Last year, for instance, Golden Rule lodge No. 620 alone had charge of the matter.

However, a joint committee from all of the Odd Fellow lodges in Topeka has been appointed to take charge of the proposition. The committee follows: A. E. Jones, chairman; Marshal Watson, secretary-treasurer; P. E. Joseph, Lon Irish, Ira Orner, Mr. and Mrs. James Everett, Marion Rice, Mr. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spohn, and Miss Emma Stevens. The sub-committee follows: P. E. Joseph, chairman; Lon Irish, Ira Orner, Mrs. James Everett and Marion Rice.

These people have spared no effort to make the affair a success and wish to emphasize the fact that they extend a hearty invitation to the public in general to attend the meeting Monday night.

The Program.

The program will be as follows: Invocation—Rev. Everett, pastor of Third Presbyterian church. Solo—Madam Lunde Southern. Music—Hall's orchestra. Address—John L. Saunders. Solo—Madam Lunde Southern. Reading—Miss Oney Miller. Violin solo—Miss Ruth Miller. Music—Hall's orchestra.

History of Order.

These exercises are held in honor of a lodge which is first heard of in 7 A. D. at Rome. At that time, according to tradition, an organization was formed to assassinate the reigning Caesar and frustrated the scheme. In remembrance of this event the organization was given a gold shield. On this were engraved representations of the lion, dove and olive branch. These are now the emblems of the order.

The Odd Fellows are again heard of occasionally toward the end of the seventeenth century when it appears that there were a few lodges called "The Ancient Order of Odd Fellows" in England. In 1809 a similar organization was formed in England, known as the "Manchester Unity." At present this lodge numbers 800,000 members, mainly in England and her colonies.

In America, the order was founded in April, 1819, at Baltimore, Md. On the second day of the month of that year, people interested in the matter had printed in the papers of the time a notice calling a meeting of the Odd Fellows in the city to meet at the "Seven Stars" tavern, a leading hotel then. Thomas Wildey, who had belonged to the Odd Fellows in England and a few others were back of the movement. However, not until April 26, of that year did enough men get together to form the organization. Then with Mr. Wildey, four others organized the first lodge of the kind in America in the upper room of the "Seven Stars" tavern. This building was preserved for many years, until it was destroyed in the great Baltimore fire several years ago. A monument with an appropriate inscription, now marks the spot.

Soon after its founding the lodge became known as the "Independent Order of Odd Fellows," to show that it was distinct from the lodge in England. For the spirit of independence from the mother country and the feeling wrought by the Revolutionary war was still rife in the minds of the people.

From the one lodge of five members in Baltimore, the order has grown until its membership includes one and one-half millions in the United States and Canada. The I. O. O. F. is also represented in seventeen foreign countries of the world, a total membership of about 1,542,000. In Kansas the Odd Fellows "live" lodges number 552, including 46,000 members.

In Topeka there are 864 Odd Fellows. The four different lodges of the order and the membership of each at present follows: Shawnee Council No. 1, 309; Topeka Council No. 40, 347; Eugene Council No. 79, 118; Excelsior, No. 820, 175.

The Rebekahs. Besides the men of the Odd Fellows in the United States, the membership of the Rebekahs or women's auxiliary branch of the order number about one-half million. In Kansas the "Odd Girls" number about 18,000.

And a present Wichita man, J. B. Glenn, an uncle of W. M. Glenn, candidate for lieutenant governor, was the first presiding officer of the first women's auxiliary of the Odd Fellows. This branch was organized in Iowa in September, 1851. Schuyler Colfax, later vice president during Grant's first term, a president of the order, was the first presiding officer of the auxiliary's charter. Mr. Glenn was then an Iowa Odd Fellow, and was made the first presiding officer or "noble grand" of the Rebekahs.

Those "Odd Girls."

A story goes that upon several occasions in 1851, a group of women in an Iowa town, after having been repeatedly refused admission to weekly meetings of their husbands' lodge, went in a body and started to form a

very "independent" order of their own. And for the sake of domestic felicity, the men compromised and "bowed" to the organization of the Rebekahs. Of course, this story is now denied by all concerned.

However, here's to the "Odd Girls" of Kansas, who will doubtless be in Topeka in great number Monday evening.

It is probable that also the grand officers of the Kansas lodge will be present. They are as follows: Grand master, C. M. Cole, Phillipsburg; deputy grand master, T. P. F. Roney, Washington, (Kan.); grand warden, Chas. Lilly, Wichita; grand secretary, W. J. Russell, Topeka; grand treasurer, H. C. Stevens, Topeka.

W. H. Kemper, of Topeka, who run for city mayor on the commission, but was defeated this spring, is the past grand master of the order in Topeka.

BIG TIME FOR MASONS.

Annual Spring Reunion Will Begin Monday Evening.

"A Free Mason, therefore, should be a man of honor and of conscience, preferring his duty to everything beside, even to his life; a friend of all virtuous men, and of good morals; submissive to the laws, devoted to humanity, to his country, to his family; kind and indulgent to his brethren, a friend of all virtuous men, and ready to assist his fellows by all means in his power."—Morals and Dogma.

The annual spring reunion of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite bodies commences at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, April 25, at the Masonic temple in this city and continues until Thursday evening when an elaborate banquet will close the ceremonies. This reunion is an event of much importance and interest in Masonic circles. During its course all the Scottish Rite degrees from the fourth to the thirty-second inclusive will be conferred upon the candidates. At this time it is impossible to say how many will be in the class that will take the degrees, as petitions will be received up to 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, the hour set for the business session of the bodies when all petitions will be acted upon.

The membership of the class will be made up from Topeka and all over the state. Fifty petitions have already been received. A large number of visiting Masons are expected to be here during the week to witness the work. During the conferral of the degrees all of the elaborate scenery and electrical effects will be used, and a large number of workers are required to assist in making the changes in the scenes. The Masonic work is said to be an illumination of the human mind, a history of chivalry, knights and kings and generals and potentates pass in dazzling array before the class and lessons are given by the high priests of the order. The court of the crusaders, the march of the knights of the cross, the story of the crusades, these grand scenes with the work of the Scottish Rite.

Four separate bodies of the order are required to confer all the degrees as follows: Oriental lodge of Perfection No. 3, Unity chapter Rose Croix No. 1, Godfrey de St. Omar council of Knights of Kadosh No. 2, and Topeka Consistory No. 1. The Topeka lodge is especially well equipped to hold this reunion. The temple on Jackson street is a four story stone building and furnished throughout in elegant style. The lodge room where the work is given is nothing short of a modern theater. Then there are kitchens and banquet hall and reception rooms and offices. The local members take a deep interest in their work all the year around. They hold many social sessions at the temple and serve their own banquets in sumptuous style. Members of the local order are scattered far and wide over the world. They are located in Europe, Asia, South America and in the far north. Kansas is a Masonic state and the Valley of the Orient, located in Topeka, is one of the fairest valleys in which a Masonic pilgrim ever dwelt. He will find here the cedars of Lebanon as typified by a friendship of his brethren. There is a temple, not so fine as that of Solomon, but just as hospitable. Crusaders against vice dwell here, and Knights of Malta who protect the weak and unfortunate. The splendor of the orient are shown in painted scenes and acted by devotees of mystery and students of profane and sacred history.

The reunion of the spring of 1910 should be one of the events of the year, and yet it serves merely to mark another degree of the success and achievement of the dwellers in this valley who worship at a temple where all the virtues and loftiest sentiments of mankind are held in the highest veneration.

NOTED FRENCHMEN HERE

Vittetart and Bouefue to Inspect American Engineering Works.

New York, April 23.—M. Henri Vittetart, inspector of bridges and highways of France, is in New York on an important mission in behalf of the French government. He was recently appointed by Minister Millerand, head of the system of public works, telegraphs and telephones of France to inaugurate a tour of inspection of American engineering methods in the United States in various branches of engineering, manufacturing, etc.

M. Vittetart is now in New York arranging the details of visits by these French engineers. They will be designated from the government engineering school of France and will be maintained at government expense. They will inspect the methods of American production at large manufacturing centers, the motive power plants at Niagara Falls and the large projects of railway, river and harbor and canal construction in various parts of the country. The heads of the steel, electrical and other concerns are giving M. Vittetart every assurance that they will receive every facility for studying American methods of production, motive power and construction.

Jules Bouefue, formerly with the French embassy at Washington for many years, accompanies M. Vittetart. M. Bouefue was largely responsible for the project for placing the statue of Rochambeau at Washington, which led to the notable demonstration of Franco-American cordiality at the time the Rochambeau statue was dedicated.

Burned to Death in His Home.

Chicago, April 23.—Nelson Harrison, 43 years of age, was burned to death today in a fire at his home, while trying to extinguish a fire in a child which he supposed was sleeping on the second floor. His wife was badly burned and probably will die.

Sultan Has Measles.

Constantinople, April 23.—Sultan Mehmed V. of Turkey is suffering from a slight attack of measles.

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EARNINGS

(Auditor's Report)

Net Earnings 6 years ending Dec. 31, 1909	\$4,619,043.42
Less Expended for Betterments	867,862.67
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(Equal to Seven Times Bond Interest)	625,196.78

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SUFFRAGE GAME.

It Is Played With Cards Similar to Authors.

New York, April 23.—"Play cards" is a new motto of the New York State Woman's Suffrage association. The cards, which are expected to play an important part in the organization's summer campaign, are played like the old time game of "Authors." They were devised by one of the association's vice presidents.

As in authors, the cards are arranged in groups, entitled, "Doubting the Vote," "Woman Suffrage and the Home," "Saloon versus Family," "Two Cardinals," etc.

In the cardinal group one card will ask: "What does Cardinal Gibbons say of equal suffrage?" The answer is: "He says it would be the death blow of domestic life and happiness." But then another card comes back with the question: "What does Cardinal Moran of Australia say?" And the answer is: "He says that the woman who thinks she would make herself unwomanly by voting is a silly creature."

MUST NOT EAT ONIONS.

Barbers Are Barred by Statute During Working Hours.

Waterloo, Neb., April 23.—An ordinance has been passed by the city council and signed by the mayor and is effective at once, which, among other things, regulates matters relative to the cleanliness of barber shops and then provides: "It shall be unlawful for any barber in this town to eat onions between 7 o'clock a. m. and 9 p. m. No barber while shaving a customer shall insert his thumb or finger in the said customer's mouth; shall not discuss the gossip of the town and shall not use tobacco while working over a chair; shall not insist upon a customer having his neck shaved, or his hair singed."

A violation of any of the provisions shall subject the barber to arrest and a fine of not less than \$5 for each and every offense.

GIVES LARGE SUM.

Reported That Rockefeller Has Donated \$500,000 for Sanitarium.

New York, April 23.—Russians here have received advices from St. Petersburg to the effect that John D. Rockefeller has given a large sum—reported as \$500,000—to establish a sanitarium for tuberculosis sufferers at Abbas-Tuman, a watering place in Trans-Caucasia. At the Rockefeller offices at 26 Broadway no one could be found who knew anything about the reported gift.

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